

## Memorial Service This Sunday, 2:30

The annual Memorial Service in honor of those who gave their lives in the Great War, will be observed this coming Sunday, August 27, at 2:30 p.m. on the Butte.

Canon Major Cripps, of Red Deer, will conduct the service and deliver the address.

The Didsbury Band will lead the parade of returned men from the Legion Hall to the Memorial and will accompany the singing and render special selections.

The people of the town and district are cordially invited to join the returned men in this annual service.

All returned men are asked to meet in the Legion Hall at 2 p.m.

Scouts, Cubs, Rangers, Guides and Brownies will all take part in the parade and are asked to meet at the Legion Hall also at 2 p.m.

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## Canadian Wheat Board Regulations for Selling Grain

**Rules Governing Delivery Wheat  
With Particular Reference To  
5,000 Bushel Limit.**

Regulations governing marketing of wheat through the Canadian Wheat Board were recently made public. Special attention is given to the 5,000-bushel limit of deliveries, which allows each farmer or group of farmers operating as a unit to deliver 5,000 bushels of wheat to the Board at the initial price of 70 cents a bushel, basis No. 1 Northern, Fort William.

Employees and dependents of farmers are not grower-producers and are therefore not allowed to deliver wheat to the Board. Sons of farmers, operating land for their parents, may participate under a lease-agreement system.

Farmers will be required to obtain permits for marketing their grain, and penalties are provided for breach of regulations, a fine not exceeding \$100.00 or imprisonment for a period not exceeding one month.

In addition to buying from the grower, the Board may buy from landlords, vendors, mortgagees or others "entitled by contract or operation of law to wheat grown by someone else."

Where there is a mortgage on a farm and the owner-grower sells to the Board 3,000 bushels of wheat grown on that farm, then the mortgagee can sell to the Board only 2,000 bushels grown on that farm.

Where land is leased, the tenant-farmer and landlord will be treated in the same manner, respectively, as the owner-grower and mortgagee.

If two farmers farm in partnership and each is entitled to a share of the crop and neither is a dependent on or employee of the other, each is a producer of his share of the crop and will be treated in the same manner as a grower-producer.

If one man has title to several farms operated by sons, for instance, whether heads of families or not, each son must have a lease or agreement of the land he operates from his father, entitling him to wheat grown by him thereon, if the Board is to buy such wheat from the son, or if the Board is to buy more than 5,000 bushels from all such farms combined.

If it would increase the quantity of wheat which the Board might buy, no mortgage, lease, agreement, transfer or other document whatever made or entered into after the 1st of May, 1939, would be recognized, except in circumstances showing to the satisfaction of the Board that it was not designed to increase the amount of wheat to be purchased, or where such documents were approved by the Board.

### Cattle Quota Filled 70%

Cattle imports from Canada to the U.S.A. from July 1 to August 17 have filled 70.5 per cent of the quota for the 3rd quarter of the year. Jack Byers, Calgary district supervisor of livestock, states. During the period 26,438 head were shipped to U.S.A.

## Former Resident Dies at Vancouver

**Jas. Reed, Pioneer Business Man  
Passes Away at Coast City**

James Reed, for many years a prominent resident of Didsbury, died at Vancouver on Friday last, and his many friends here will deeply regret his passing.

Mr. Reed, who was well known throughout the district, was one of the pioneer business men of the town. Coming to Alberta from Ontario about 1900, he ranched for some time north of Cochrane and came to Didsbury in 1903, where he entered the mercantile business. He later established a real estate and insurance business which he conducted until he retired. In this connection he came in touch with a great many people of both the town and district and was held in high esteem by all who knew him.

During his life here the late Mr. Reed served the town and district well and was active in public affairs for many years. He served several terms on both town council and school board and was mayor in 1919 and 1920. He also acted as secretary of the school district for ten or twelve years.

He was an ardent curler and was one of the organizers of the Curling Club.

Retiring from business in 1928, he moved to Vancouver with his family but kept in close touch with affairs in Didsbury up to the time of his death.

He is survived by his widow and son Wilfred at Vancouver, and a son Charles at Edmonton.

## Police Check On Reckless Driving

War on the reckless driver has been declared by the R.C.M.P.

With main highway surfacing extended in various parts of the province there has been an increasing tendency to speed, thus aggravating the traffic problems.

Now, according to the officials of the Alberta Motor Association, police are taking definite action to curb dangerous driving. Recently there have been many reports of police also checking up cars which were violating the law through not having proper head or tail lights, or were contravening regulations in other respects.

Safety on the highways is strongly advocated by the A.M.A. which has given full support to local efforts designed to lower the accident toll in this province.

In the interests of all who use the main highways with full regard to the requirements of safety, the move to stamp out reckless and dangerous driving in this province will receive the general support of all fair minded citizens.

### BIRTHS

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## Duck Shooting Split Into Three Seasons

**Season Here Opens September 15  
Closes November 15**

Alberta sportsmen will get the benefit of three distinct duck shooting seasons this year, according to 1939 game regulations issued by the Federal Department of Mines and Resources, lands, parks and forestry branch. Formerly the province was divided roughly into northern and southern shooting seasons. Bag limits of 12 ducks and 5 geese per day are unchanged from 1938.

The seasons are advanced slightly from last year. The divisions and dates are:

In that part of Alberta lying north of the right bank of the Athabasca river and north of the left bank of the Clearwater river, from 12 noon September 7 to November 7. This area includes the Peace River country.

In that part of Alberta lying south of the Clearwater and Athabasca rivers and north of the line marking the north boundary of Township 29 in all ranges west of 4th and 5th meridians, from noon September 15 to November 15. This area extends to 9 miles south of Didsbury.

In that part of Alberta lying south of the north boundary of Township 29 in ranges west of 4th and 5th meridians, up to and including the international boundary, from noon September 29 to November 25. This area takes in Calgary, Bassano, Brooks areas and districts south of these points.

The bag limits are: ducks, 12 in any day; geese, 5 in any day; coots and rails, Wilson's or Jack snipe, 25 per day; nor more than 100 ducks or 25 geese per season; not more than 100 rails, coots or snipe per season.

Possession of more than 36 ducks (3 consecutive days' shooting) at any one time is illegal.

Use of automatic-loading or pump guns is prohibited, unless the magazine has been plugged or altered so that it cannot carry more than one cartridge at a time, with another in the breech. Guns larger than 10-gauge are also prohibited.

## Youth Drowns on Fishing Trip

Earl Nelson, only son of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Nelson of the Betchton district near Olds, was drowned at Pine Lake on Sunday while at the resort on a fishing trip with friends. He was 22 years of age and had been employed by the W. H. A. Thomas farm. Besides his father and mother, one sister survives.

## Loses Pants, Avoids Accident

Fred Wagner, farmer of Cardston district, can thank his strong arms for avoiding serious injury and perhaps death.

When Wagner touched his foot to the power lift of his binder, the cuff of his overalls caught a projecting bolt of the whirling shaft of the lift. As soon as he felt the tug he seized the tractor fender with one hand and the seat with the other. His strength proved greater than the denim of his overalls and he was left standing in his underwear.

## Price Spreads on Wheat Grades.

The local elevators have been notified of the spreads in the price on wheat purchased by the Canadian Wheat Board.

Following are the prices of the different grades:

		Ft. William	Didsbury
		car lot	wagon
No. 1 Nor.	70	54½	53½
No. 2	67	51½	50½
No. 3	62½	47	46
No. 4	57	41½	39½
No. 5	51	35½	33½
No. 6	44½	29	27
Feed	40	24½	22½
No. 1 Garnet	58	42½	41½
No. 2	55	39½	38½
No. 3	52½	37	36

## Good Reports on Chukar Partridge.

Good reports of two pair of chukar partridge which were released northwest of town last spring have come in.

Wilfred Spooner reports that one pair which nested near his place have 14 chicks and a pair which are located near Rindall's place are reported to have eight.

Six pair of these partridge were liberated last spring and officials of the Fish and Game Association would be glad to get reports on any of the birds seen. They were distributed in the neighbourhood of the Didsbury Game Reserve on the Little Red Deer northwest of town.

J. A. McGee and Russell Ady who were on a fishing trip west of town recently, reported seeing quite a number of bush partridge and are of the opinion that these birds are on the increase.

### Knox United Church Notes

On Sunday, August 27, the minister will speak on the theme "God Speaks Through the Flowers."

Our summer is almost over and the frost will soon destroy the flowers. Let us make next Sunday a Flower Sunday. Flowers will be received at the Church on Saturday evening so send them along in abundant measure.

The Mission Band will hold a meeting in the Church parlor on Monday August 28th at 3 p.m.

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## Life Begins At Forty

"Do you know that if you are a resident of Canada or the United States you got your last year of life absolutely free? That is to say, at the end of 1938 you had just as many years left to live as you had at the end of 1937."

The foregoing rather startling statement appears in a recent issue of Toronto Saturday Night as an editorial prelude to an article by Dr. E. Clark Noble, M.A., M.B., M.R.C.P., Medical Referee of the National Life Insurance Company with headquarters in Toronto.

The article in question deals with the extraordinary advances made by medical science in the past few years, showing such a remarkable acceleration recently that medical science was able, during the twelve months of 1938, to give as a donation to humanity on this continent another full year of life expectation.

The announcement, if founded upon unquestioned statistical data and if the statistics have not been misconstrued, as statistics sometimes are, opens up a great vista of speculation. For instance, one is inclined to ask whether this means, provided discoveries in the realm of medical science continue to advance in geometric progression, as they undoubtedly have done in the past two or three decades, that the time is rapidly approaching when human life can be extended indefinitely. Certainly, if the progress of 1938, as construed by the editorial note, is maintained and exceeded, is it to be assumed that at the end of every year hereafter, the life span is to be extended another full year? If so, it can only be translated as extension to infinity.

On the other hand, does it mean that the saturation point in medical progress has been reached, and that hereafter there will be a slowing down in the life-saving process through new discoveries in the field of medical science and their application to disease and death. Apparently not, if Dr. Clark Noble, in his prophetic moments is correct, for he concludes his treatise on the progress of the past few years with the comforting statement that: "We may face the future with confidence that our span of life will be still further increased as years go by."

### More Disease Prospects

In his analytical article covering the increase in longevity on this continent in the past 30 years, Dr. Clark Noble states that "This increase amounts to approximately nine years in the case of male lives and 12 years in female, the expectancy of life at birth having risen from 53 years to 61 1/2 in the former instance, and from 53 years to 65 in the latter. The increase has been fairly gradual until the past 12 months when it has shown the remarkable increase of one full year."

Prior to 1938 some authorities on the subject have been wont to point out that increases in longevity have been largely due to the savings which have been effected in infant mortality as a result of improved sanitation conditions and the preventive work of public health officials and have pointed to alarming increases in recent years in the death rates attributable to diseases of the elderly and more particularly cancer and heart disease, their contention being that these diseases are more prevalent than they used to be and give such reasons as life at high tension in the present age as causes.

While this is undoubtedly true to some extent, it is because more people today are living to an older age than heretofore. In other words, a greater percentage of the population to-day has reached the age where they become susceptible to such diseases. This, at any rate, is the conclusion reached by Dr. Clark Noble, explaining his theory in the following words:

"During the 30 years prior to 1938, the decrease in the death rate among white adults amounts to, roughly, 40 per cent., falling between the extremes of 80 per cent. at the low ages (1 to 4) to 25 per cent. at the high ages (65 to 74). It will be noted that the decrease involves all ages, but is greater in the lower age bracket with the result that the general population is ageing, and, therefore, we observe an apparent increase in the death rate from the diseases which take their toll in later life, particularly cancer, and degenerative diseases of the heart, arteries and kidneys."

### Hope For The Elderly

If these percentages are acceptable, and there appears to be no reason why they should not be regarded as correct, they demonstrate very clearly that while the saving of life in the early years has been tremendous, on the other hand the more moderate saving in the later years of the human life span warrants Dr. Noble's use of the term "apparent" when applied to the increase in the death toll taken by diseases of the elderly.

But even here, it should be noted, there has been a conservation of longevity among the elderly as a result of medical research and discoveries, the recent discovery of the value of sulphadiazine in the treatment of pneumonia being one of the latest.

So much has been done to increase the life expectancy of the infant and the young child, that it is reasonable to suppose that any further conservation of life which may ensue in the near future will increase the life expectancy of those who have reached middle age and beyond, and it is probable that "Life begins at Forty" will become literally a truism.

### Soil Surveys

With the object of making an inventory of soil resources in the Prairie Provinces, the nature, location and extent of the various soil types is being determined through soil surveys. This work has been in progress for a number of years. For the most part it is carried on under a co-operative arrangement between the Dominion Experimental Farms and the Provincial Agricultural Colleges.

### Have Their Own Language

Cameo folk have a language all their own. To them, camels are humps, elephants are bulls, monkeys are old folks, hippos are hogs, hyenas are gravediggers, and ostrich are big turkeys. People who take in all the free sights but never buy tickets are lot-fleas to them.

### Distribution Of Trees

Since the Dominion Forestry Nursery Stations were established at Indian Head, Saskatchewan, in 1901 and at Sutherland, Saskatchewan, in 1914, about 160,000,000 trees have been supplied to nearly 65,000 farmers in the three Prairie Provinces. Since 1935, over 6,000,000 trees have been distributed under the Prairie Farm Rehabilitation programme in the drought area.

Birds have a higher temperature than any other creature; about 112 degrees. By holding this heat through ruffling their feathers, they are able to withstand bitter cold weather.

We must trust and hope, and neither doubt ourselves nor doubt the good in one another, said Charles Dickens.

### Has Become Commonplace

Crossing Ocean By Air No Longer Is Thrill For Public

Where the pioneers of only a dozen years ago created the "big news" of the day on the air roads of the North Atlantic the great four-engined Clippers of Pan American Airways ply to-day with the regularity—if by no means the sedate pace—of ferryboats. The Atlantic crossing, scoffed-at dream of the men of wings who followed the Wrights, and goal of scores of intrepid pilots on the Lindbergh trail has become almost a commonplace.

In the presence of a little knot of onlookers for the most part relatives and friends of passengers, the Yankee Clipper takes off, the Atlantic Clipper lands, the Dixie Clipper wings away—beginning or completing journeys that span 4,000 miles of sea in little more than twice around the clock. With characteristically quick assimilation of new marvels of the machine age, the American public already takes Atlantic flying on schedule in its stride.

Equally in character is the prompt way in which travellers take advantage of the new speeds thus magically made available, on errands of emergency, business and pleasure.

A father reaches the bedside of his son, gravely ill in Florence, two days out of New York. A group of publishers has an opportunity to feel the pulse of Great Britain through personal interviews with the Prime Minister and other statesmen and yet be back at work within a week. Already quota immigrants have reached America by air.

A fashion editor takes off on Wednesday to be present at an opening in Paris on Monday, with plenty of time to spare. The Bureau of Entomology and Plant Quarantine receives in jig time a box of 100 *Meligetha floralis*, a parasite with which it is experimenting. A business man flies over to Europe and back in six days to spend the week-end with his wife at Cannes. Travellers ranging in age from 14 to 90 casually make the crossing. Extending their journeys by air, those who leave on Saturday, for example, can be in any European capital by Monday; can reach Cairo by Thursday, Calcutta by Friday, a week from take-off. If they wish, they may circle the world in eighteen days. With the forging of the Atlantic link the old earth once more is marvelously shrunken. —New York Times.

To encourage the domestic production of wheat a government board has been authorized to control and limit the importation of wheat and wheat flour into Brazil.

A cutworm is the caterpillar stage of a night-flying moth.

### A Synthetic Age

The Marvellous Strides That Science Has Made

If Henry W. Longfellow, well over half a century ago, could serve notice on his world that "Things are not what they seem", do it, too, without surprising the customers at large—have his poetic announcement accepted for the fact it was, then the curious to-day may well wonder what would be his verbal reaction if confronted by the present masquerade of men, manners, and matters that flock the world as it keeps on turning.

Shakespeare dealt with the question of appearances a bit differently. His pronouncement was that "All that glitters is not gold." And in this irreverent age the answer may well be "Who cares?" To-day it is a popular theory that all is well that looks well. Even when not put into words it seems to have a generous quota of followers. And that does not make them blameworthy. As long as he does not trespass on his neighbors' preserves any individual has a right to form an opinion and stick to it, that is provided he lives in a free country where ideas are not regimented, and the governed still have a voice in government.

This, without fear of libel, may well be called a synthetic age. Time was when a salesman's persuasive "Just as good" meant caveat emptor to the person on the purchasing end of a transaction. But not necessarily any more. The buyer expects substitutes and marvels at the strides science has made—knows that original sources of many commodities are changed because of the magic of chemistry. Manufactured pearls, silk without benefit of mulberry leaves, textiles created from milk, glass, wood, and many other unlikely things are already accepted without surprise.

Longfellow was right. "Things are not what they seem." Very often they are a whole lot better. In the laboratory of to-day the chemist may quote the great bard who dwelt by the Avon, and say "The world's my oyster"—one not, however, to be opened with a sword but to be conquered by the great knowledge that research has placed at the command of science.—Ottawa Journal.

### Valued As Novelty

Novelty of the large Canadian cent appealed to a tourist from Ohio, who gathered a lot of them in Hastings, Ont., to give to Ohio children accustomed only to the small Lincoln copper.

### A Good Supply

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### Care Of Teeth

Essential Cause Of Decay Is Said To Be Refined Sweets

A new dental slogan—"An unsweetened tooth cannot decay"—was proposed to the Pacific Science congress, in a paper by Dr. L. M. Waugh of the Columbia University school of dental and oral surgery.

He cited a survey he made several years ago of American Eskimo teeth, showing the "essential causative factor" of decay was "refined sweets, such as candy, molasses and various forms of sugar."

Natural sugars, such as those normally present in fruit, produced no sign of the agent which invariably accompanies decay.

Several other authorities asserted there was clear-cut evidence tooth decay was related to diet.

Dr. Waugh said field studies proved there was no tooth decay among the Eskimos until after they began to get white man's food, and extent of decay increased in proportion to the amount of sweets consumed.

Canada moved up to fourth place in importance as a source of supply for imports into the Union of South Africa, displacing Japan, and coming after the United Kingdom, the United States, and Germany, in the order named.

Herr Goering, Nazi No. 2, has a specially designed uniform for each of his nine resounding titles and a magnificent set of dinner plates to match each suit. Many a battle is fought at the table.

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## Five Attempts To Be Made This Year To Scale World's Highest Mountain Peak

Mountaineering in the Himalayas is becoming more popular. This year there are five expeditions, two German, one American, one Polish and one Swiss, says the India News-Bulletin.

In the Himalayas are many peaks higher than the highest Europe has to offer, and for the more ambitious there are Everest, Godwin-Austen (K2), Kanchenjunga, Nanga Parbat, Nanda Devi and Kamjet, all over 25,000 feet, of which only the last two have been climbed to the top.

When mountaineers first surveyed the Himalayas, they were staggered by the vastness of the problems. Scientists warned them man could not breathe above 22,000 feet without oxygen, man could not sleep above 23,000 feet. One by one these beliefs disappeared.

The Duke of Abruzzi in 1909 climbed to 24,000 feet near Godwin-Austen, F. S. Smythe in 1933 slept for 13 hours at a height of 26,500 feet on Mount Everest and it has been proved that man's system can adapt itself to existence on the meagre oxygen to be found at high altitudes. Mount Everest is 29,141 feet.

The Everest expedition of 1922 and 1924, in spite of the tragic loss of Mallory and Irvine, gave a great impetus to climbing in the Himalayas. There began a series of attacks on the giants. Some of these expeditions were the skillfully planned affairs of experienced men like the Bavarian attacks on Kanchenjunga, there was one that was the daring and foolhardy attempt of a single, inexperienced man, Wilson, who lost his life on Everest.

German attempts on Nanga Parbat in 1934 and 1937 ended tragically. In June last a German-Swiss expedition, scaled "The Tent" peak, 24,090 foot mountain near Kanchenjunga.

Four Americans are on their way to Godwin-Austen, 28,250 feet, the second highest mountain in the world. This mountain is beautiful in its symmetry but mighty precipices guard the approaches to the top.

The highest mountain climbed to the top by man is Nandi Devi, (25,645 feet).

### Arm Swinging

#### Practice In Walking Devotes A Healthy Mind, Says Investigator

A series of experiments and studies carried on over a period of years have demonstrated that the involuntary swinging of arms while walking indicates a healthy mind.

This announcement has been made by the Medical School of the University of California. The experiments were carried out under the direction of Dr. Robert Wartenberg, instructor of neurology, in an effort to ascertain the causes of various cerebellum disturbances.

"Failure of the arm to synchronize with the movement of the opposite leg," he said, "may denote some disturbance in the brain centre, long before involvement may be detected by other means."

Dr. Wartenberg was able to ascertain that normal involuntary arm swinging which goes with walking and running means more than exuberant health and vigor, for its absence, he said, is definite indication of certain types of mental disease.

When mental disturbances have been removed by operation or otherwise he found, patients have shown a return to voluntary arm swinging.

#### When Every Word Counted

The verbosity in the phrasing of our legal documents can be traced directly to the scribes of the seventeenth century. For penning business contracts, legal writings and such documents, they charged their clients for every word written, says Michael L. Toll, in the Week.

#### May Claim Antarctic Land

Press emphasis on Argentine claims to sovereignty in certain Antarctic regions indicates the government may try for a share in the Antarctic partition and possibly oppose any extension of the Monroe Doctrine to Antarctica.

### Considered Feasible

#### Scientist Predicts Rockets Will Be Used For Ocean Air Mail

Dr. Clyde Fisher, astronomer and curator-in-chief of the Hayden Planetarium, predicted early establishment of "mile-a-second" rocket express and mail service. This will be followed, in the definite future, by rocket voyages to outer space, he said.

Dr. Fisher, speaking at New York in connection with an exhibit of rocket airmail stamps and postage covers at the world's fair, said use of rockets for "many practical uses," was entirely feasible.

"In a few years," he said, "we will probably be shooting rockets regularly into the stratosphere, carrying automatic weather instruments. We may also see rockets whizzing at mile-a-second speed from city to city; 20 minutes from New York to Chicago; an hour or less to Paris, carrying fast mail express swifter than sound.

"It may be that eventually passengers will be scooting from continent to continent at the same dizzying rate, hopping from breakfast in New York to lunch in Berlin, and back again to New York in time for a second lunch.

### A Remarkable Discovery

#### Eighteen Dwarf Stars Said To Be Masses Of Fire

Remarkable discoveries of new telescopes, 18 dwarf stars, which are masses of fire compressed until the "flames" are thousands of times heavier than steel, were described at Paris to a conference on astrophysics.

New facts about these strange objects were reported by Dr. G. P. Kuiper, associate professor of astronomy, University of Chicago.

The dwarf stars range in size from that of the earth down to the moon. But each of them is from 150,000 to 800,000 times heavier than the earth. Moreover, said Dr. Kuiper, the smaller the dwarf, in general, the heavier it is.

Their gravitational pull is so immense that the flames from their surface are only a few feet high. On the sun, by way of understanding how grotesque this is, flames leap up 500,000 miles high. Yet the sun is only half as hot on the surface as the average dwarf star.

The dwarf temperatures at the surface average 27,000 degrees and the hottest is 54,000 Fahrenheit.

### Sleeping Sickness

#### Opinion Expressed That Birds Carry The Virus Between Continents

Evidence that birds carry the virus of sleeping sickness, perhaps even between continents, was reported to the Pacific Science Congress.

Dr. F. Rosenbusch, of the University of Buenos Aires, said similarity between the Argentine and California strains of the virus indicated a connecting link which could be accounted for only by migratory birds.

Dr. P. Gallo and Dr. E. Vogelsang, of the Medico-Veterinary School of Caracas, Venezuela, also reported birds of prey were carriers.

Dr. Rosenbusch did not name any particular bird. The disease has become of increasing scientific concern in Canada and the United States because of costly epidemics.

Dr. James Stevens Simmons, of the Army Medical Corps, said equine encephalitis had become the most feared disease among horses in the United States, causing 170,000 infections and 50,000 deaths in 1937.

### Progress Has Been Rapid

Although tractors did not come into general use until the war years an English paper notes that there was an agricultural motor on exhibition in 1904. Much progress has been made since that date in efficiency and adaptability making them serious rivals of the horse.

Each year, 25,000 adult and juvenile offenders are put in probation in England and Wales. The proportion of those who lapse back into crime is very small.

### Romance Of Botany

#### Present Day Knowledge Largely Founded On Work Of Early Botanists

Some interesting information on the history of the naming of the plants was given in a recent address given by A. Hornby, Head Gardener, Dominion Experimental Station, Summerland, B.C. In 300 B.C. lived a famous philosopher known as Theophrastus, the favourite pupil of the still more eminent philosopher, Aristotle. Theophrastus wrote two books on plants, describing about 500 species, mostly of a medicinal kind. Modern botanists are much indebted to the knowledge of plants obtained by the old-time herbalists.

The next great name is that of Pliny, the elder. He was the admiral of the Roman fleet, and was one of the many victims of the eruption of Vesuvius in A.D. 79. He had written 16 books on plants, two of which treated of the medicinal values of the herbs. From these early days down to 1700 A.D. there were several more pioneers, but in Sweden in 1707 A.D. was born a child who was destined to be known as the father of present-day botany. This was Linnaeus, who by patient research reduced the hundred-and-one names given to each plant to two; the generic name and the specific name. He became not only the royal botanist of Sweden but the most famous physician of the day.

An interesting story in connection with the fate of the wonderful collections Linnaeus built up during his lifetime. Roughly these consisted of 3,000 insects, 1,500 shells, 2,000 minerals, and 19,000 plants. Knowing the value of this collection, Sir James Smith, an English botanist, bought it from the widow of Linnaeus for 900 guineas. The transaction took place during the absence of the King of Sweden and finding out what had happened, he ordered a frigate to pursue and overtake the departing British ship. In an exciting chase, the British ship outsailed the Swedish frigate and landed its precious cargo safely in London, where the Linnaean Society, one of the most learned bodies of the present day, was founded.

### Standards Of Education

#### Should Be Taught How To Assess Human And Spiritual Values

Canada, we fear greatly, is too inclined to measure education by the number of her schools and universities and by statistics of literacy. Yet we might have this land dotted with fine school buildings and have great universities packed with students and have the lowest illiteracy rate in the world and yet not have real education. People are not educated by being taught to read and write. They are not educated by being made into specialists or technicians with respect to some particular activity. They are educated only when they are taught how to think about life; taught how to assess human and spiritual values; taught how to conduct themselves with respect to their duties and responsibilities toward their fellow-men. The Ottawa Journal.

## Value Of The Canadian Live Stock Industry Over Six Hundred Million Dollars

### Favors Life On Farm

#### Points To Definite Advantages Enjoyed By Man On The Land

I have a son now six years old, and I hope when he grows up that he will decide to be a farmer. We also have three daughters, and we hope that when they grow up they will marry farmers. It is not because I think farmers and farm women in the future are going to become rich and have an easy life, although I look for some improvement in the next ten or twenty years.

I want our boy to be farmer and live in what is called an hereditary home, to which his sisters can return in time of depression, should they marry city men, because:

1. The farmer has more and better food to eat than city people, and in time of depression he is more certain of a livelihood—if he has not mortgaged his farm.

2. The farmer has better health than city men and lives longer, according to a recent study of a life insurance company.

3. The farmer accumulates more property—becomes a wealthier man than the average city person. Millions of city people have almost no property at all except an automobile. Wealth in the city is probably four or five times more concentrated than in the rural territory.

4. The farmer is more likely to enjoy his work than most city people. Most city work is monotonous—tending a machine in a factory, operating a typewriter, standing behind a counter in a retail store hour after hour.

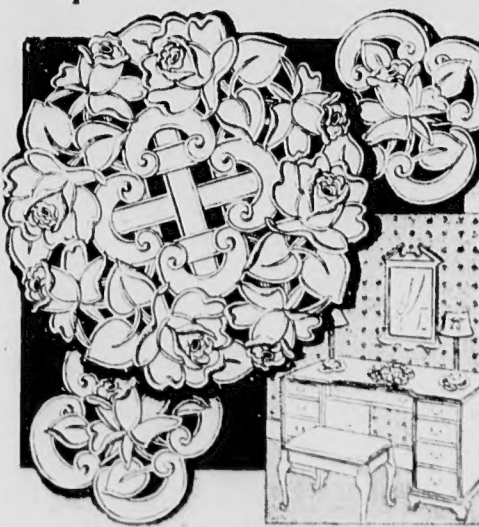
The farmer is more likely to rear a family and do his part to promote the welfare of the nation and the race. The family is becoming smaller and weaker in the cities. Only two-thirds enough children are now being born in our cities to maintain their population permanently.

The conditions of living and the philosophy of life in the cities tends towards extinction. The rural philosophy of life with its recognition of the family as the fundamental economic as well as social institution, tends towards survival. The urban philosophy is ephemeral; the rural philosophy of life is eternal—derived from experience of the race down through the ages. A civilization to be permanent must be based primarily on agriculture, or on some other culture in which the family is the economic unit. A. E. Baker, U.S. Department of Agriculture.

The love of money has been said to be the root of all evil, but we are inclined to think that the love of power also has something to do with the evils with which the world is presently afflicted.

In the British Isles new museums are opening at the rate of about 20 each year.

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Problems in live stock feeding today are vastly different from what they were years ago, said Dr. C. D. Mackenzie, Division of Animal Husbandry, Dominion Experimental Farms, in a recent address on "The Contribution of Science to the Feeding of Live Stock." In modern times, the scientific knowledge of feeding stuffs and improved methods of balancing rations have become a necessary part of progressive animal husbandry. Some idea of the importance of this subject may be realized when it is remembered that the value of the Canadian live stock industry totals well over six hundred million dollars. On the farms of Canada, there are about eight and a half million cattle, three and one-half million hogs, and almost the same number of sheep. In addition, horses, poultry, and other types of domesticated animals hold an important place. It is thus apparent that even small contributions to the knowledge of animal nutrition are of considerable value in the economical feeding of these large numbers of animals.

Research work dealing with animal nutrition is chiefly of two kinds, fundamental research and applied experimental work. In many cases, these types of work are closely related and are frequently complementary to each other. Lines of research dealing with basic principles having a broad application undoubtedly have the greatest potential value. Most countries where research work is well organized have devoted their attention principally to such fundamentals. Basic investigations cover a wide field. For example, they may cover studies in suitable and economical rations in relation to the production of milk, eggs, wool, and other live stock products, the growth and fattening of animals, the quality and palatability of meat, and the importance of minerals in the ration.

Still other lines of study have dealt with the prevention of losses and reproductive disorders caused by nutritional disturbances, by faulty diets, by parasites, and by bacterial diseases. Though widely diverse in character, all of these fields of scientific enquiry have as a final goal efficiency and economy in the production of superior animals and animal products.

Experimental work relating to animal nutrition in the Dominion Department of Agriculture is carried on with this point of view. Its Experimental Farms Service, which embraces experimental work with live stock, not only at the Central Experimental Farm at Ottawa but on branch farms and stations throughout Canada, maintains flocks and herds under supervision of trained staffs in order that many of the problems relating to animal production may be solved, and that farmers throughout the Dominion may obtain the information learned from these studies. Other research institutions and organizations likewise participate in animal nutrition studies. The work is international in scope and reciprocal benefits are obtained with other countries.

### Looking To Canada

#### Dominion's Security, Wealth And Prospects Compares Favorably With Other Nations

There could, indeed, be a great deal said about our fortune in this part of the world, tempered with reasonable humility. But it often seems that this is unnecessary, that it is beside the point, only for people who do not see "beneath" the currents of daily life.

A good argument could be made out on the contrary for stressing the outstanding facts that confront us, and remembering that Canada's security, wealth and prospects can be fairly compared to those of other nations of the world, and not only to the bonanza periods of our history that gave us false standards and an optimism that was not tempered with sound sense.

There is every evidence that Europe is looking to Canada to-day with a hope that should meet with our full-hearted response. —Hamilton Spectator.



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**The World of Wheat**

By H. G. L. STRANGE  
 Director "Crop Testing Plan"

Once again this year severe losses  
 have been suffered in Western Cana-  
 da from grasshoppers.

During the course of the Ages  
 locusts have probably destroyed as  
 much of man's precious foodstuffs  
 as either drought or rust have done.

The Bible teems with references to  
 the destruction of crops and pastures  
 by locusts. Exodus tells us that  
 "Locusts will eat every herb of the  
 land." Locusts have brought des-  
 truction from time immemorial in  
 almost every country in the world.  
 They were one of the most dreaded  
 plagues of ancient Egypt, and there  
 are records of great flights which  
 swept across the whole of Europe  
 and parts of Asia. One great swarm  
 in 1889 which crossed the Red Sea  
 was estimated to be 2,000 square  
 miles in extent. Another great  
 swarm was once observed over the  
 sea a thousand miles from land. In  
 the United States and Canada, dur-  
 ing the time records have been kept,  
 vast destruction to crops has occur-  
 red.

Whatever losses may be suffered  
 by farmers this year, of one thing we  
 can be sure, the losses have been  
 greatly reduced by the splendid con-  
 trol methods designed by the profes-  
 sional entomologists of the United  
 States and Canada.

Following factors have tended to  
 raise price: Continued rain in West-  
 ern Europe delays harvesting and  
 may reduce quality and yields. -  
 Continued unsettled conditions at  
 Chinese ports. - Extreme heat causes  
 corn deterioration in the Balkans. -  
 Argentine weather again turns un-  
 favorably mild. - Unfavorable wea-  
 ther reduces spring tea crop in Tai-  
 wan.

Following factors have tended to  
 lower price: International Institute  
 reports 1939 world wheat production  
 will be larger since world war excep-  
 ting last year. - Substantial increase  
 in U.S. wheat estimate. - Heavy  
 arrivals of Argentine wheat. - Subsi-  
 dized wheat offerings from the U.S.  
 - Large Canadian year-end carry  
 over. - Beneficial rains in north-west  
 India.

**Notes From the West**

Mr. Arnold Hogg is helping Mr.  
 Lee Sanderman for a few days.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs.  
 Bert Smith, its a boy!

Elkton's softball team beat Gar-  
 field, holders of the cup, 25-16 at  
 Garfield last Sunday. Next Sunday  
 Elkton meets Graham at Elkton.

Mrs. E. Parker entertained at  
 tea last Thursday afternoon in hon-  
 or of Mrs. Jensen of Delburne, a  
 former resident of the Rugby dis-  
 trict. Mrs. Jensen spent several  
 days visiting in the district, return-  
 ing home last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orde and Marjorie  
 visited with Mr. and Mrs. Hogg on  
 Sunday.

Mrs. J. Byrt is visiting her parents  
 Mr. and Mrs. Davidson of Westcott.

**Mountain View Notes**

The monthly meeting of the W.I.  
 was held on Thursday, August 17,  
 at the home of Mrs. W. Atkinson.  
 The president, Mrs. Ed Blain, was  
 in the chair with thirteen members  
 and several visitors present. Fol-  
 lowing the singing of "O Canada"  
 and repetition of the creed, the  
 minutes of the former meeting were  
 read and adopted after which cor-  
 respondence and business items were  
 discussed. Mrs. Det Fulkerth gave  
 a very interesting paper on the sub-  
 ject of "Immigration." The sing-  
 ing of "O Canada" brought the  
 happy meeting to a close after which  
 refreshments were served. The Sep-  
 tember meeting will be held at the  
 home of Mrs. William Shultz.

The new store at Neapolis is in  
 the course of construction and will  
 be completed very shortly. A room  
 is to be rented for the High  
 School for those pupils wishing to  
 further their studies. The teacher  
 we understand is Mr. Low, former  
 teacher of Neapolis public school.

Mr. Horace Reynolds of Calgary  
 is a visitor in the district.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Sargeant and  
 family were recent visitors in the  
 Mona district.

The Roberts family are enjoying  
 a few days at Sylvan Lake. Enid  
 had the good fortune to pass her  
 grade nine examinations after being  
 absent so much on account of sick-  
 ness.

A frost occurred in the district on  
 Friday evening damaging grain and  
 garden produce.

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Mrs. Gamble spent a week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gilmore who have a daughter, Shirley Ann, newly arrived.

Rev. Geo. Beirnes of Owen Sound, Ontario, finished a series of revival meetings on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Holmes of Edmonton were visiting relatives and friends here.

Miss Jean Admussen is home for a brief visit before returning to Bowden where she is staying

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**Carstairs E. Community**

The Hall board met last Saturday night and decided to put on an amateur contest immediately after harvest

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Bouck are spending a week with relatives at Heath and Irma.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson of Calgary visited their son, Herman Anderson, last Saturday

Milt Tracksell of Didsbury spent some of his vacation among relatives here

Arch Horn who had his shoulder dislocated is again able to work.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Storey spent the weekend with their sister in law at Calgary who is seriously ill.

Miss Helen Brown who underwent an operation at the Didsbury Hospital for appendicitis is improving nicely

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**Burnside Notes**

Gus Bittner Spent Monday evening with his brother Otto.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gibson and family and Mrs. Roy McNeas and family and Gordon Marsh were Sunday visitors at the Eckel home.

Mrs. William McCulloch and Mr. and Mrs. Ivor Weber and son spent the weekend with the former's daughter, Mrs. Jim Frazer at Langdon, Alta

Miss Eleanor McNeas is holidaying with Mrs. Robert Eckel

Mr. Ronald Lyons is vacationing at his home here and is leaving soon to teach at the Elmwood School, near Cremona

**Gasoline Tax Up, Price Goes Down**

The long fight which motor Clubs have maintained against governments increasing the gasoline tax without "earmarking" these revenues for highway purposes, appears to have met with limited success.

While the tax has not been raised in this province for several years, there has been no disposition on the other hand to lower it, and it is still yielding large revenues to the province.

On various occasions the Alberta Motor Association has passed resolutions asking that the proceeds of this tax should be specifically "earmarked" for highway construction and maintenance purposes.

A survey conducted recently in the United States shows that while the average retail price of gasoline there is on the decrease, the average tax is rising.

During 1920, the earliest year for which such figures were available, the average service station price, exclusive of tax, of 50 representative cities was 29.74 cents per gallon and the average tax was .09 cents a gallon.

In 1938, the average station price exclusive of tax, of the 50 representative cities was only 14.07 cents a gallon but the average tax had increased to 5.44 cents.

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Took an active part in the work of the Bracken Committee in urging upon the Dominion Government the continuation of the Canadian Wheat Board and 80 cent wheat.

Urged the Dominion Government to establish a Western Research Laboratory of the National Research Council. This laboratory would seek new uses and expanded markets for wheat and other farm products. This proposal was put forward following a survey which we made of the progress in research into new uses for farm products in the United States.

Financed seed and crop improvement work.

Financed research extending over a period of several years into weed control and eradication.

Our material financial support makes possible the tour of the Canadian Forestry Association's Tree Planting Car throughout the Prairie Provinces.

Continually advocating free international exchange of goods in order to regain and expand Canada's exports of wheat.

Continually endeavoring to impress on Governments and public bodies the disparity between the basic price at which the farmer sells his products compared with the price he pays for manufactured farm requirements which he must buy.

Proposed that Co-operative associations, as members should accept representation on the governing body of the Winnipeg Grain Exchange and urged appointment of a supervisor for the Grain Exchange.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS  
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The Daily Mail reported priceless treasures in gold and silver were dug up from the grave of an Anglo-Saxon king near Ipswich, Suffolk.

France gained 742 trained aviators for her air corps with the arrival of two groups of former Czechoslovak army fliers at Calais and Boulogne.

Scotchesby Routledge, 79-year-old Australian explorer-author, died of a heart attack while visiting a London manufacturing firm.

Trans-Canada Air Lines carried 5,794 passengers in the first six months of the current year, it was announced in Montreal.

Pan-American Airways will file in Washington an application for authority to begin a fortnightly mail and passenger service between the United States west coast and New Zealand.

Indication that efforts will be made to retain Lord Tweedsmuir for a second term as governor-general of Canada was given by Prime Minister Mackenzie King.

July building contract awards throughout Canada, as compiled by Maclean Building Reports Limited, totalled \$22,129,700, a gain of 4.5 per cent over the total for July, 1938.

Hon. Norman Hipel announced 600 young Ontario men will be trained as aircraft mechanics by the Ontario department of labor at the request of the department of national defence.

A group of teen-aged youngsters in the Calgary Rifle Club were announced as winners of the junior small bore rifle championship of Canada. Members of the team are believed to be one of the youngest ever to win the title.

U.S. Treasury Secretary Morgenthau announced he would make a special trip to Finland to thank that country for paying its war debt to the United States regularly. Morgenthau said the Finnish minister had invited him to go.

## Prairie Broadcasting

## New Station At Watrous, Sask., To Have Wide Coverage

A coverage greater than any station of its size, or even bigger, is claimed for the new Canadian Broadcasting Corporation's 50,000-watt transmitter, CBK, at Watrous.

Because the station operates on a cleared channel, 540 k.c., in a choice position on the dial; because it is based near mineralized salt land, is without ground disturbances, and has ideal atmospheric conditions, engineers say it can be heard over most of the continent. It is anticipated that full-time coverage with reasonable fidelity will extend west and east from the Rocky Mountains to Fort William; north to the Northwest Territories, and south, well into the United States. With favorable atmospheric conditions there is no reason CBK could not be heard in the Arctic Circle. At any rate, it will be available to every radio listener in the prairies.

The site for the station was chosen by experts from the Department of Transport. The mineral salts and deposits around Manitou lake make it an ideal spot for a radio transmitter. Some experts believe the soil and the salt deposits will make this station one of the best in the world.

It is the fourth of the 50,000-watt transmitting stations which will bring daily 16 hours of broadcast service of the best programs from the United States and other parts of the world, as well as Canada, to radio listeners of the Dominion.

Besides the Watrous and Sackville plants there are sister stations at Verheres, Quebec, and Hornby, Ontario, erected last year and equipped with the most modern apparatus obtainable. All these stations were carefully chosen to provide a maximum coverage of the geographical area they were designed to service.

Forty-eight per cent of the business and professional women in the United States have relatives whom they support, in whole or in part, by their earnings.

In his youthful days Napoleon lived chiefly on dry bread and wore shoes with pasteboard soles.

Nearly 400 types of cheese now are produced in the United States.

## Plane Factory For Victoria

## To Build New Flying Craft Covered With Plastic Material

Within a few months an aeroplane factory in Victoria, B.C., will be turning out flying craft covered with a new plastic material which will not rip nor tear even though riddled by bullets, according to Morris E. Heiser of London and Los Angeles, Calif.

The engineer who originated in 1937 the Heiser Seadrome intended for use in Atlantic and Pacific oceans as floating landing fields and docks, is making arrangements for location of a factory and test runways.

As soon as a factory has been built, he said, work will start on planes built of the plastic material invented by Anders Nicolay Andersen, a Norwegian, who received a patent in 1930 from the United States patent office. Heiser and Michael Andersen, a son of the inventor, now control the patent.

Heiser came from Glendale, Calif., where several plane manufacturing plants are located and from where he expects technical experts to join his factory staff to help in mass production of plastic-covered planes. Other experts will come from the Old Country, he said.

"British support is behind our plan for training of Canadian youth to make and fly Canadian aeroplanes," Heiser said.

The basic materials for plastic aeroplane covering are available in large quantities in British Columbia, he said. Synthetic resin and certain oils needed can be produced without difficulty in the province.

"We propose to train youths in various branches for the factory. They will know how planes are made and how to handle plastic. Those who learn to fly, may when grounded through a minor accident, be able to repair any damage to the wings in 40 to 50 minutes."

## HOME SERVICE

## IS LETTER-WRITING A STRUGGLE FOR YOU?



## Here Are Tips to Make It Easy

Sally's in despair! She has written that letter four times and it's just too dull to send.

Cheer up Sally! Lively letters are simple to write when you have a few letter-writing tips.

Do you give a dry catalogue of incidents: "Went for a drive yesterday—tomorrow we go out to dinner—Tom has a cold?"

Better to select an item or two, give more of your thoughts and feelings. "How I did revel in our ride yesterday all those green fields—I wanted to go wading in the grass."

Don't use "dressy" words just because you're writing. In talk you wouldn't say, "I endeavored to purchase a new dress." Write as you'd speak, "I tried to buy." Be natural, easy.

And how you can spice up a letter by knowing a few punctuation tricks. "We leave Saturday for Wyoming" sounds matter of fact. But try writing it this way, "We leave Saturday for Wyoming!"

Find many more helpful pointers on writing charming letters in our 32-page booklet. Has samples of invitations and answers, thank-you letters, notes of sympathy, other types of letters for business, social occasions. Gives correct usage, stationery, vocabulary helps.

Send 15c in coins for your copy of "Good Letter-Writing Made Easy" to Home Service Dept., Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermot Ave., E., Winnipeg.

In addition to the feature release, the following booklets are also available at 15c each:

125—"Learn to Write For Publication".

147—"How to Budget and Buy For Better Living".

149—"Tap Dancing Simplified".

The polar exploration ship Fram is preserved in Norway as a monument to the Norwegians who commanded it.

In one day \$100,000 was raised in England for the Submarine Disaster Fund.

## SHIRTWAISTER HAS NOVEL IDEAS

By Anne Adams



Dashing all-around-the-town this summer will be more fun with this spirited youthful Anne Adams shirtwaister, Pattern 4180. Just imagine it in plaid gingham, a checked cotton or linen, coolly topped off by, say, a snow-white collar. See the new shape of the collar with its "winged" flaps and matching bow tie, in gay feminine imitation of your best beau's neckwear. The beltless princess-effect lines give your figure lithe grace; the skirt brisly flares. You may shirr or gather the sleeves at the shoulders, and march buttons all down the bodice front. Be sure to follow the clear sewing instructions accompanying this easy pattern.

Pattern 4180 is available in misses' and women's sizes 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38 and 40. Size 16 takes 3 3/4 yards 39 inch fabric and 3/4 yard contrast.

Send twenty cents (20c) in coins (stamps cannot be accepted) for this Anne Adams pattern. Write plainly Size, Name, Address and Style Number and send order to the Anne Adams Pattern Dept., Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermot Ave., E., Winnipeg.

## Systematic Entomology

## New Insect Surveys Are Proving Of Value To Farmers

An important part of the Division of Entomology, Science Service, Dominion Department of Agriculture, is the section which has to do with the classification of insects, the study of their structure, their habits, their life cycle, and the building up of a collection of specimens. This work is known as Systematic Entomology and is directed by Dr. J. H. McDunnough under whose care is the national collection of insects. In this national collection there are now well over 50,000 species. In the past ten years, as the result of insect faunal surveys, fully 1,000 new species have been discovered, described, and added to the national collection.

Insect faunal surveys are being made this year in various districts of the Dominion. One is being made for the first time in Prince Albert National Park, Saskatchewan, which is nearly 1,900 square miles in extent. Such parks naturally constitute a splendid feeding and possible breeding area for an infinite variety of insects which may have an economic effect upon agricultural crops.

Another survey is being conducted in Southwestern Ontario to determine what insects are coming into that part of Canada from nearby areas of the United States. In Northeastern New Brunswick, species of European beetles have been found. It is believed they originally came with soil ballast in European ships docking at New Brunswick ports. To what extent they have established themselves, this year's survey may help to disclose.

Insect faunal surveys are exacting work, but without the knowledge gained from them it would be difficult to project effectively the work of control carried out by the economic entomologists.

A sugar beet is about 75 per cent water.

## Housing Scheme

## War Veterans Place Plan Before Administrative Officers

A low-cost housing scheme applicable to war veterans was placed before several administrative officers of government departments by a small delegation of Memorial Homes Building Society of the Imperial Veterans Association. J. Scott, president of the organization, headed the delegation.

The party saw officials of the war veterans assistance commission, the Dominion housing scheme and the British ministry of pensions. The veterans asked governmental assistance for construction of homes, under the aegis of the society, under a 35-year self-liquidating plan. The unit laid before the officials contemplated a six-room house built at an approximate cost of \$2,500.

One aspect of the proposed plan was that labor employed should be exclusively war veteran labor, and this should be paid, where feasible, by credit to the veteran on the purchase price of a home. All veterans purchasing homes would be required to pay a fixed part of the cost of his own labor.

Other features of the project imposed certain obligations on the home-owners, one of which denied them the right to sell, mortgage or hypothecate without consent of the society.

## Corn On The Cob

## This Writer Evidently Thinks He Has Got Something

Among several other things that make us glad we're living is corn on the cob.

A Frenchman may be a fine judge of red wine and baked snails, but he gets no corn on the cob. A Britisher may carve himself a fine joint of beef, but he gets no corn on the cob. A German may delight in a cutlet and red cabbage, but he gets no corn on the cob.

Think of all those Russians, Rumanians, Turks, Laplanders and Patagonians doing without corn on the cob—and at this season of the year, too! It's enough to break your heart.

And none of your silly silver cob-stickers to eat it with, either. We'll take ours right in the fingers as nature obviously intended, and gnaw it off the cob just like a busy squirrel. Please pass the butter, Kitchener Record.

## SELECTED RECIPES

## PEERLESS ANGEL FOOD WITH ICING

(12 to 15 egg whites)  
1 cup sifted Swans Down Cake Flour  
1 1/2 cups sifted granulated sugar  
1 1/2 cups egg whites  
1 teaspoon salt  
1 teaspoon cream of tartar  
3/4 teaspoon vanilla  
1/4 teaspoon almond extract  
Sift flour once, measure, add 1/4 cup sugar, and sift together four times. Beat egg whites and salt with rotary egg beater or wire whisk. When foamy, add cream of tartar and continue beating until eggs are stiff enough to hold up in peaks, but not dry. Add remaining 1 1/4 cups sugar, 2 tablespoons at a time, beating with rotary egg beater or flat wire whisk after each addition until sugar is just blended. Fold in flavoring. Then sift about 1/4 cup flour over mixture and fold in lightly; repeat until all is used. Turn into large ungreased angel food pan. Cut gently through batter with knife to remove air bubbles. Bake in slow oven (325 degrees F.) one hour, or until done. Remove from oven and invert pan 1 hour, or until cold. Rub crust gently from top and sides of cake; then spread thinly with Pineapple Icing.

Note: Remove eggs from refrigerator several hours before using. They beat up lighter and more easily when at room temperature, and give increased fineness of grain and delicacy of texture to angel food cake.

## Pineapple Icing

2 cups sifted confectioners' sugar  
Dash of salt  
1/4 cup drained crushed pineapple  
1 tablespoon lemon juice (about)  
Add sugar and salt to crushed fruit, mixing well. Then add lemon juice until of consistency to spread thinly on cake. Makes icing to cover top and sides of angel food.

A piece of 2,000-year-old lead water pipe from Rome is in New York's Museum of Science and Industry.

Onion leaves have troughs to pour water straight down to the bulb.

Soviet whalers plan to catch at least 500 whales this year.

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## GENERAL CARE OF THE EYES

Valuable suggestions on the care of the eyes are contributed to the summer number of "Health" by Dr. Clarence E. Hill, of Toronto, as follows:

In the daily routine of life, it is important to always remember to wash one's hands after touching banisters, door knobs, push plates, etc., to avoid carrying infection to the eyes. Even shaking hands transmits germs from one person to the other. Rubbing the eyes after using a handkerchief to blow one's nose is a possible and probable source of infection.

Danger of infection lurks in swimming pools if the eyes are opened under water and bath towels at public pools, beaches and summer resorts are another common source of infection. Do not dry your eyes at all under these conditions.

When motoring, try to prevent dust and water from being blown or splashed in the eyes. Trying on other people's glasses and goggles can transmit lid infections and even conjunctival inflammation.

The allergic inflammations from foods eaten and from external irritants such as pollen from trees, plants, flowers or talcum and face powders and dandruff from pets can be guarded against if they seem to cause an irritation. Tissue towels and paper handkerchiefs can cause the sensitive person to have inflammation of the eyelids or eyeballs.

Reading during an illness or while recuperating is very trying on the eyes and in the young may produce short sightedness. Also, reading with poor illumination and in a cramped position for a prolonged period may cause optical errors or inflammation of the eyes.

In some diseases, such as bad goitres, and particularly in unconscious patients, the eyes must be kept closed to avoid injury or drying of the eyeball, thus spoiling the vision.

Avoid the corner store method of removing foreign bodies and the household method of putting eye-stones or flaxseeds in the eyes as these are liable to carry infections.

Avoid watching the flare of welding or an eclipse of the sun, without protecting the eyes, as these cause inflammation or blindness. Refrain from approaching too near sand blasting or grinding operations or locomotives when stoking, as these are common sources of foreign bodies.

Use non-shatterable glass in your car and keep the driver's window closed sufficiently to prevent the entrance of foreign bodies or rain water in the eyes. Use non-shatterable glasses if playing or working in dangerous places.

Acids from batteries or splashes from hot fat or hot water must be guarded against in cooking. When stoking fires or lighting gas heaters, turn your face away from or use protective glasses to prevent burns, foreign bodies or drying of the eyeballs, with consequent inflammation.

Eat a varied diet and during the winter months take some Vitamin D as obtained from Cod Liver Oil, eggs and fats. If you are ill, consult your doctor because many constitutional diseases can cause serious eye damage, such as Diabetes, Blood Pressure, Anaemia, etc. Keep free from colds, and watch your teeth to avoid many types of chronic irritation or infection.

Editorial Note: Readers desiring the complete set of Dr. McCullough's cancer articles at once may secure same by writing to—The Health League of Canada, 105 Bond St., Toronto, Ont.

Anxious Mother: "What does the average college man do with his week-end?"

Dean of Men: "Well, Madam, sometimes I think he merely hangs his hat on it."

Eggs are boiled by electricity without shells with a new household device.

Approximately 50,000,000 gallons of tomato juice are canned commercially each year.

There are more than 2,500 species of snakes in the world, and about 400 of them are poisonous.



# THE RIVER OF SKULLS



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## CHAPTER II.—Continued

"It's simply a question of grub," Alan replied. "To go far into this country, a man would have to winter there and find the caribou—or starve."

The big man nodded. "That's it! It's always a matter of grub in the bush. Ever hear of the River of Skulls?"

"Riviere of Skull!" gasped Noel, his small eyes wide with fear. "De spirit riviere, far een de lan of de Caribou People!"

"The old Montagnais have many tales of this unknown country," explained Alan. "This River of Skulls is supposed to be haunted by spirits. No one has ever been there. It is old men's talk."

The man with the livid scar looked hard at the speaker, as he said: "How do you know no one has ever been there?"

Alan answered coolly. "No one from Fort George has ever been there."

"Guess you're right, lad! And it's supposed to flow into the Koksoak—this River of Skulls?"

"I don't know. It may flow into the Koksoak. Gabriel Dessane, at Fort George, says that all the rivers northeast of here must flow north into Hudson's Straits. He was once trader for the Revillon Freres at Fort Chimo, on the Koksoak."

The eyes of the giant burned with sudden interest. "On the Koksoak, eh! At Chimo, and he's now at Fort George? By glory, that's interesting!"

The sudden rising of Rough who moved to the door, a low rumble in his throat, checked the speaker.

"Someone is coming," announced Alan, watching the face of the big man slowly expand into a smile.

McCord threw open the heavy slab door of the shack.



"Hello, dad!"

"Hello, dad! Where on earth did this sled and dog harness come from? I noticed the trail on the river."

Beside the boys' sled, with a .22 calibre rifle in one hand, the other holding three snowshoe rabbits, stood a slender, hooded figure clothed in white Hudson's Bay duffel.

"We've got some visitors," replied the man in the doorway. "Hang those rabbits up and come in before these boys eat up all of your supper." Then he closed the door and turned to his bewildered guests.

"I didn't tell you I had a partner wintering with me," he explained, with a chuckle. "In fact I wouldn't have known what to do without her. I see from your face you think I'm crazy to bring a girl into this country," he added to Alan, who shook his head doubtfully. "But she wouldn't let me come alone. I know

I was wrong, but what could I do? She's as strong and able as a boy; good shot, handy in a canoe and can walk me off my feet. Well, here she is!"

The door opened and the girl closed it behind her and stood leaning against it. With a toss of her head, she threw back the hood of her parka. Her face, browned by sun and wind, was framed in a tumbled mass of gold.

"Heather," said the giant, with a wave of the hand, as the questioning eyes of the girl sought his, then curiously met the embarrassed gaze of the boys. "Alan Cameron, here, of Fort George, with Noel and Rough, walked in to-day, starved out."

"Gosh! That's too bad!"

"She's John McCord's daughter," thought Alan, as he noted the tall, symmetrical build of the girl which even the parka coat and the heavy duffel leggings failed to conceal. "She has it all, the blue of his eyes and the yellow hair."

The girl gave her hand to each of the boys then, as Rough nosed tentatively forward, ears pricked, brown eyes watching her closely, she cried: "What a beautiful dog! Dad, if we only had a team like—what did you say his name was?" She turned to Alan, painfully aware of his ten days' growth of beard and his winter-worn clothes.

"Rough."

"Come, girl, get off your coat and those heavy moccasins and socks and have some supper," broke in the giant. "It will soon be dark and we have no candles to waste."

The girl left the men and went into the connecting room while her father started a batch of corn bread and filled a tea-pot. Then he set a small slab table with aluminum plates and cups and moved it to the center of the room.

Embarrassed, Alan and Noel heated water from the river and did their best to make themselves more presentable but without marked success. When Heather McCord appeared, Alan refused a seat at the table, where he could not eat, and placed his stool back in the shadows of the room lit by the single candle and the fire.

"I'm sorry," she said to Alan, "that you cannot eat with us."

"I'm living high on this deer broth, thanks. In a day or two Noel and I'll make up for lost time."

She seemed to Alan hardly more than seventeen or eighteen. But she was a head taller than Berthe Dessane, down at Fort George, and the sweater she wore accentuated the clean lines of her shoulder and bust, and well developed arms. Still, he told himself, as he watched the candle-light pick up the deep gold in the unruly hair, bobbed at the nape of her round neck, lovely as was the picture she made, she was not lovelier than the raven-haired Berthe.

When McCord had finished eating his simple supper of corn bread, caribou stew and tea, he said:

"Daughter, these boys are all worn out and need sleep, so you toddle off to bed, when we've done these dishes."

The brows of the girl almost met in a frown as she studied her father's face, then turning to Alan with a laugh, she said: "That's a bargain, Alan, if you'll hitch Rough to the sled, as soon as he gets his strength back, and give me a ride on the river."

"He's a little lame now, but in a day or two he'll show you what a real sled-dog is," replied Alan, proudly, stroking the head of the sleeping dog at his side.

With a "Good night, all!" the girl went to her room.

McCord moved the table back to the wall, lit his pipe, then turned to

the man who was watching him curiously.

"Are you afraid to travel beyond the Sinking Lakes?"

For a space the surprised youth sitting on the stool and the man who approached and bent over him probed each other's eyes. What was this a challenge? The blood leaped in the veins of the son of Graham Cameron, once known for his daring from Rupert to the Little Whale. Was this stranger with the ice-blue eyes putting his courage to the test?

"You think I'm afraid to go into that country? I tell you it's just a question of common sense of whether you'll starve out."

The bearded face with its livid scar was thrust closer. The cold eyes snapped with the glitter of challenge. The manhood of Alan Cameron was measured in that long stare.

"Would you go with me next year?" the giant asked.

In frightened protest Noel cried: "De Land of de Caribou People? Not dere, no, not dere!"

Alan impatiently waved his friend back as he rose to his feet to meet the questioning eyes that searched his. "You're a stranger, Mr. McCord," said the boy, his lean face lit with suppressed excitement. "You've saved our lives. And we owe you much. But I don't go into the bush with a man I don't know. You've asked me a question. Well, I ask you one before I answer. Who are you, and why are you here?"

The man whose piercing blue eyes never left the speaker's face, laughed. "Fair enough," he agreed. "I'm from down Ottawa way but I've spent a good many years in the bush. I'm up here with the idea of doing some trading. They tell me that a big trade of black- and silver-fox pelts comes down to the coast from these headwaters—black marten, too, and lynx."

But, as he talked, Alan recalled the fighting glitter in McCord's eyes, earlier in the day, when he opened the door of the cabin to the call of starving men—the desperate look of a trapped wolverine. What had brought him to that door fingering the trigger of that black automatic? What mystery was behind all this?

When Heather McCord opened the door shortly after the sun lit the parchment windows of the cabin, she greeted her father's guest with a look of undisguised approval. Shaved, scrubbed and wearing a clean shirt, the embarrassed stranger of the night before was again, thin as he was, the striking youth with bold, regular features and deep-set gray eyes, after whom, when the post was gay with the spring trade, the girls at Fort George, white, half-breed and red, flashed many an admiring glance.

"Good morning!" she said. "Feel better after the food and sleep and," she added with a laugh, "after the shave?"

The blood flooded Alan's dark, frost-burned face. "I'll be as good as new in a few days."

"Why, you look pretty good now."

Rough, who had slept indoors as an especial favor to a starved dog, yawned deeply, rose, stretched, shook himself, then walked to the girl who boldly placed her hand on the massive skull. Ears forward, the husky measured her for a space through slant eyes, sniffed, then met her hand with the thrust of a red tongue.

"You've put a spell on him!" exclaimed the surprised Alan. "You've the first stranger he's ever made up to."

"We won't be strangers long," she knelt and calmly took the husky's jaws in her two hands, while his tail swept slowly to and fro as he looked into her face.

"You've got a way with dogs," commented Alan.

She laughed. "I wouldn't take the trouble to make love to most dogs but he's a big dear. Gee, what jaw muscles he's got! You're a darling old bear, aren't you, Rough?"

As Alan watched her he wondered what could have induced John McCord to bring such a girl into the heart of the Ungava barrens.

(To Be Continued)

Editor Leaves \$12,311,422 Headline. There are editors and editors, but not many like this one, the late Adolph S. Ochs who happened to own the New York Times.

A television receiver has been invented that can be connected to a radio set to obtain sight-and-sound broadcasts.

## A Potent Force

### M.R.A. Seeks To Fashion A New Bill Of Rights For A World Society

Cleaving through the criss-crossed hatreds of a rearmad world is a new and potent force that seeks to banish war.

It is a force which was born merely ten months ago, in the hearts of a few Christian zealots. Yet, to-day, its dynamic growth has left an imprint on virtually every colour, creed and race.

Last September, M.R.A. (Moral Re-Armament), was but a glowing ideal. To-day the ideal has become fact—one of the few sane facts in an otherwise insane world of revived hatreds, bitterness and hypocrisy.

The framework of this new world force is supported by four towering pillars: absolute honesty, purity, unselfishness and love. These homely virtues must start action in the home—in business, village, city and state—if the world is to be saved from the savage surgery of another Armageddon, so the followers of M.R.A. believe.

Thus, they seek to fashion a new Bill of Rights for a world society which is based on a slavery to fear and misunderstanding, in order to create a citizenship based on mutual faith and co-operation. And the response throughout the world has been amazing.

The British Isles have been shaken to their spiritual foundations by the invasion of Moral Re-Armament. Lord Baldwin, supported by many of the most distinguished names in British public life, ardently supports the objectives of this movement. Over 200 members of Parliament recently signed a joint message to a national meeting for Moral Re-Armament held in Washington. The Roman Catholic Archbishop of Liverpool united with the Archbishop of Canterbury in approving Moral Re-Armament as a new way of living, versus an old and barbarous way of life.

Queen Wilhelmina of Holland and King Leopold of Belgium have negotiated a "spiritual treaty", based on M.R.A., for a lasting peace.

In ravaged China, that gallant Christian Generalissimo, Chiang Kai-Shek and his wife have seen in Moral Re-Armament a hope for their country and for the world.

In Japan, Moral Re-Armament has launched the pulse-beat of a new rhythm in Nippon's affairs—a pulse-beat that may yet drown out the thud-thudding of warrior hordes.

In the United States the movement has swept from coast to coast, its advocates comprising a bewildering array of contradictory types: a former President, an outstanding C.I.O. leader, a great industrialist, and so on down the long line of varied types and classes. The recent "Call to the Nations for Moral Re-Armament" in the famous Hollywood Bowl in California drew 30,000 people, with 10,000 turned away. At least 30 nations were represented at this gathering nations which, in many instances, have begrudged one another any trace of diplomatic courtesy.

In Canada, the mayors of one hundred cities and towns sent a message to the Citizens' Meeting for Moral Re-Armament in Madison Square Garden, which was attended by a contingent of five hundred Canadians—a practical demonstration of the "good neighbour".

Thus, the tiny sparks of spiritual vigour, kindled less than a year ago, have set untold cities aflame throughout the world. Thus labours the strongest peace-time army ever known to avert the chaos of another war.

## Electrical Energy

### Two Million Volts Produced In Demonstration By A Belgian Scientist

The Belgian physicist, Max Morand, demonstrated a two-story high tower in which a handful of coal dust produces 2,000,000 volts of electric energy.

The tower is a new kind of power-house for the electrical emergency which is used to smash atoms. Roughly it contains an electric generator at the bottom, a large, cigar-shaped piece of metal at the top and a pipe through which coal dust circulates.

The pipe carries the dust particles over the generator, up over the surface of the cigar and then down the other side to repeat the circuit. The particles pick up electrical charges from the generator, and when they reach the cigar deposit the electricity on its polished surface.

In experiments to date Morand has obtained voltages running from 700,000 to 1,000,000 volts.

Ulster once more announces that she intends to remain in the Empire permanently. The further the South drifts away from the Empire, the further she drifts away from the North.

## Fiery, Itching Skin Gets Speedy Relief

Here is a clean, stainless penetrating anti-septic now dispensed by chemists at trifling cost, that will bring you speedy relief from the itching and distress of Eczema, Itching Toes and Feet, Rashes and skin troubles. Not only does this great healing antiseptic oil promote rapid and healthy healing in open sores and wounds, but boils and simple ulcers are quickly relieved and cleanly healed. In skin diseases—the itching of Eczema is instantly stopped, the eruptions dry up and scale off in a very few days. The same is true of Barber's Itch, Salt Rheum and other skin eruptions. You can obtain Moore's Emerald Oil (full strength) at any modern drug store.

## Made First Moving Picture

### Fifty Years Ago Bristol Man Took Out Patent For Camera

The name of William Friese-Greene conveys almost nothing to anybody, yet he is officially acknowledged as the first man to make a moving picture. He was a native of Bristol, England, and a plaque has just been unveiled in a moving picture house in that city to commemorate the fact that fifty years ago, Friese-Greene took out a patent for a camera to take moving pictures and a projector. Another memorial is to be unveiled later.

The first attempts at taking moving pictures, however, were by a man named Edward Muybridge, of Kingston-upon-Thames, England, who, as far back as 1872, took a series of pictures of a horse running by means of a row of 24 cameras which were operated by the horse breaking a series of threads controlling the shutters. Muybridge made several improvements, but his great difficulty was that each picture had to be taken with a separate plate in a separate camera. The way to success was paved by George Eastman, of Kodak fame, who, in 1889, produced the roll of film. It was then that Friese-Greene triumphed, and in November of that year he began regularly taking scenes in Hyde Park, London, and elsewhere. It was not till 1896, however, that public showings were made, and the first film ever shown in a public building, was at a technical school in the Finsbury district of London. It consisted merely of a man polishing shoes! That same year, films became part of the regular program at several London theatres. These early films were limited to street scenes and other ordinary everyday events. The writer remembers seeing his first movie about 1898, the opening picture being a conjurer taking a rabbit out of a hat, turning it into two, turning the rabbits into one again and putting the rabbit back into the hat! Films at that time ran for from two to three minutes.

It almost became a habit to credit new inventions to Thomas Alva Edison, but Edison did not take out his moving picture patent until March 14, 1892, five years after Friese-Greene. Arising out of subsequent disputes, Friese-Greene had to go to the United States, and the United States Circuit Court of New York, legally declared him the true inventor of the moving picture camera and projector.

The glamor attached to the name of Edison sometimes gave him credit for things he did not invent, although he improved them. He did not, as is generally believed, invent the first filament lamp. The inventor was Sir Joseph W. Swan, a native of Sunderland and he exhibited his lamp in 1880. Edison later secured the patent to the Swan "bulb", and for long afterwards, probably to this day, the "Ediswan" lamp led the market.—St. Thomas Times-Journal.

## Unwanted Visitors

### Are One Great Cause Of Headaches According To Doctors

British Medical Association leaders at Aberdeen, Scotland, compared notes and came to the conclusion that such things as unwanted visitors cause headaches more often than do actual physical disorders.

Other headache causes, loud voices, the prospect of unpleasant tasks, dislike of other people, depression, worry, insomnia and insults.

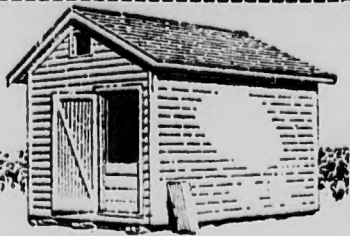
Four or five generations of a Swedish family may often use one jar of yeast. The jar is passed on as an heirloom, and in many cases, yeast has been growing in one bowl for 175 years.

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## LOCAL & GENERAL

You are invited to attend the Memorial Service on Sunday at 2.30

Regular meeting of the Canadian Legion this Saturday night, Aug. 26 at the usual hour—"on the East."

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Brown of Independence, Oregon, are visiting the former's sister, Mrs. W. E. Cuffling.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Miquelon and son Phillip are spending a few days camping on the Little Red Deer.

Bib Overalls for \$1.50 a pair are extra good value—see T. E. Scott's

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Klein and family returned on Sunday from a two weeks' vacation at Sylvan Lake.

Mrs. Carl Brightman, Muriel and Marvin, who spent three weeks camping at Sylvan Lake, returned home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McGhee, who spent part of their vacation motoring and camping in the National Park, returned home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sanderman of Storm Lake, Iowa, are visitors with the former's brother Mr. Lee Sanderman and family.

The electrical system of the Rosebud Garage (south end) is being completely re-wired and modernized. Wm. Wigglesworth is contractor.

Saturday, September 16 has been chosen by the Ranger Group of the Girl Guides for their Waffle Tea at the Adshead Garage show-room. Watch for the advance posters.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Finch and Mrs. Selma Schuerman returned to Los Angeles, Cal., from a visit with their cousin, Mrs. Folkmann, Sr. and other relatives.

Mrs. Harold Oke, Edward and Alta Mae, are spending their vacation at Spokane, Wash., this week, accompanied by the former's mother Mrs. N. Greer of Calgary.

Rev. and Mrs. Ted Folkmann and family of Manville, Alberta, were recent visitors with the former's mother, Mrs. Folkmann, Sr. and other relatives.

Mrs. Brawn who had been visiting her daughters, Mrs. Tom Collinge and Mrs. Ben Kershaw, returned to her home at Chatham, Ontario, on Wednesday.

Mr. Nat Gregory, of Gleichen, is spending a few days here with Russell Ady. The two friends are keen fishermen and have taken a couple of trips out to the western streams.

Misses Iva and Sevilla Rupp returned on Tuesday from their vacation at Oakland, Cal., where they visited their brother. They also took in the World's Fair at San Francisco and visited Los Angeles.

Frank "Try Again" Coulson has been put in charge of the 1939-40 edition of the Olds Elks. It might be this Coulson man has something we've overlooked here. This is his third try.—Olds Gazette.

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Rev. Dr. McLaurin, of Calgary, was a Saturday evening visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Murphy, Westcott. He also visited at the home of Mr. Fred Moyle on Sunday and on Sunday evening was guest-speaker at Knox Church.

Mary and Peggy McFarquhar, Irene and Jean Durant, Edna Kercher and Winnie Moon are spending a few days under canvas at the Bennett camp grounds in the west country. The girls are in charge of Mrs. John Hewins.

Mystery and comedy at the movies this weekend in an excellent double feature attraction. Death deals a hand in "Charlie Chan at Monte Carlo," and the Jones family cut loose on the European plan in a new laugh hit "A Trip to Paris." Don't pass up this first-rate double header!

According to a list of school fairs published by the Olds School of Agriculture, September 6 has been set for the Community Hall School Fair at Mountain View Community Hall. Two schools have been added to those comprising the fair and the schools taking part are Siebertville, New Berghthal, Jutland, Neapolis, Mona, Gore, Grand Centre and Rosebud.

## LOCAL & GENERAL

The Piano Tuners—Gavin Spence and Virgil Goulson are in town. Get in touch with them at Pioneer Office.

Hughie McGhee, who had been relieving at the C.P.R. station at Raymond for the past month, returned home last weekend.

Misses May and Ida Simpson, of Calgary are holidaying with their friend, Miss Grace Hunsperger, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Berscht spent a brief vacation at Banff last week. They were joined over the week end by Mr. and Mrs. Russell Berscht of Innisfail and Dr. and Mrs. Kenny of Olds.

## Prosperous Farm Community is Aim Of Line Elevators

The interest of the Line Elevator Company in the farmer goes much beyond the handling of his grain. The North-west Grain Dealers' Association some years ago organized a Public Relations Department under the direction of L. W. Brockington, K.C., one of Canada's outstanding public men. This department has been dedicated to protecting and promoting the interests of its farmer customers.

Much important work has been undertaken by Line Elevators. This includes: advocating continuation of the Wheat Board and the 80-cent price; undertaking a survey of research into industrial utilization of farm products in the United States; advocating establishment of a Western Division of the National Research Council to find new industrial uses for wheat and other farm products; financed seed and crop improvement work; financed weed control research; assisted in financing the tour of the Free Planting Car; sought a lessening of disparity in prices of products which the farmer sells compared with goods that he must buy; proposed that the co-operative associations as members should accept representation on the governing body of the Winnipeg Grain Exchange, and urged Government supervision of the Exchange; continually advocating free international exchange of goods in order to regain and expand wheat markets.

All this is valuable work on behalf of Agriculture, and the Line Elevator Companies are to be commended for the part that they are playing in seeking to make the Prairies a better place in which to live.

## Daily Double

Safety's deadly daily double for 1938 was falls and vehicle accidents.

These two types of accidents, more than equalled the combined toll of life taken by drownings, burns, railroad mishaps, firearms, poison gases, other poisons and the miscellany of other types which contributed to last year's toll of killed-by-accident.

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